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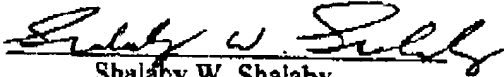
Sir:

I, SHALABY W. SHALABY, hereby unequivocally declare that:

1. I am the sole, original and first inventor of the subject matter of the above-captioned patent application.
2. I am a joint inventor, along with my coinventors, Waleed S.W. Shalaby and Marc Shalaby, of the subject matter of U.S. Patent No. 6,551,610, Multifaceted Compositions for Post-Surgical Adhesion Prevention.
3. Each of my coinventors is a physician and each contributed to the clinical aspects of the invention of U.S. Patent No. 6,551,610.
4. As a polymer chemist I contributed to the compositional aspects of the invention of U.S. Patent No. 6,551,610.
5. To the extent that any aspects of the invention of claims 1 - 3 and 8 - 12 of the present pending application were disclosed but not claimed in U.S. Patent No. 6,551,610, the inventive activity on which that disclosure is based should be attributed to me and to me alone.

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6. All statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing therefrom.


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